



E-QUAL Learning Collaboratives

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2019 Enrollment Dates

Chest Pain III
February 18, 2019

Opioid Wave II
March 18, 2019

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Questions?
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MIPS Eligibility Status

You can now check the [Quality Payment Program \(QPP\) Participation Status Tool](#) to view your final 2018 eligibility status for the Merit-based Incentive Payment System (MIPS).

Your initial 2018 MIPS eligibility status was based on CMS review of Medicare Part B claims and PECOS data from September 1, 2016, to August 31, 2017.

Now, CMS has updated your eligibility status based on their second review of Medicare Part B claims and [PECOS](#) data, from September 1, 2017, to August 31, 2018.

Checking Your 2018 Eligibility

Your status may have changed, so we encourage you to use the QPP Participation Status Tool to confirm your final 2018 MIPS eligibility.

If, after the first review earlier this year, you were determined to be:

- Eligible for MIPS: Your eligibility status might change, and you may no longer be eligible. You should use the **tool** to make sure you're still eligible.
- Not eligible for MIPS at a particular practice: Your eligibility status, based on your association with that particular practice, will not change.

Please note, if you joined a new practice (meaning you billed under, or assigned your billing rights to, a new or different TIN) between September 1, 2017, and August 31, 2018, CMS evaluated your MIPS eligibility based on your association with that new practice (identified by TIN) during this second review.

If you joined a new practice after August 31, 2018, you are not eligible for MIPS as an individual based on your association with that new practice (identified by TIN). However, you may be eligible to receive a MIPS payment adjustment based on your group's participation, if the new practice you joined chooses to participate in MIPS as a group.

For More Information:

- Visit the [About MIPS Participation page](#) on the [Quality Payment Program website](#)
- View the [Participating in the Quality Payment Program in 2018 Infographic](#)

Questions?

- Contact [IPRO](#) or call 1-866-333-4702.
- Contact the Quality Payment Program at QPP@cms.hhs.gov or 1-866-288-8292 (TTY: 1-877-715-6222).

2018 Certificates of Completion





Download your Certificate

- Certificates of Completion are available for **all 2018 collaboratives**.
- They can be downloaded directly from your site's portal(s) in the Report Downloads section (*pictured right*).
- You may use the Certificate as evidence for attestation of the completed Improvement Activities listed.



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Report Download

Benchmarking Report I	
Benchmarking Report II	
Monthly Progress Report Card	
Certificate of Completion	

CEDR Sites

If you are a current CEDR participant, you may submit through your CEDR Dashboard.

Please make sure to bring your Certificate(s) of Completion to your group's MIPS Submission call.

Quality Tip of the Month





“Be broad, but not indiscriminate in antibiotic choice. Choose antibiotics that cover all likely sources of infection and nothing else.”

Jessica Whittle, MD, PhD

University of Tennessee

Frequently Asked Questions



[View the FAQ page](#) | [Download the Portal Access Guide](#)

If you have questions regarding your collaborative, please be sure to reference these resources. If your site's questions are not answered, please reach out to the [E-QUAL team](#).

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